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INFORMATION STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is an information statement for use in connection with the above-identified patent application. The Examiner is respectfully requested to make the specified reference of record in this case. The reference is:

WO 99/25649

A copy of the aforesaid reference is enclosed along with a Form PTO-1449.

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Each item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than than three months prior to the date of mailing this statement; or

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Respectfully submitted,

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